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| For: "SENSOR APPARATUS FOR) EXTRACTION MACHINERY) FOR MILKING MAMMALS") | |) Filed Electr | |

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response After Final to address the final Office Action having a mailing date of February 2, 2010. Submitted herewith is a request for a one-month extension of time, thereby extending the time period for response from May 2, 2010 to June 2, 2009, along with the appropriate fees. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of the claims are respectfully submitted as set forth herein.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.